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With the *presence* of a thing used as the state of existing in what would be referred to as "my perspective", in the sense that a thing which appears to me is *present* and a thing which only appears to a thing other than me is *absent*, the epistemological stance could be taken that only a *present* thing is certain to exist. It is therefore that the idea can be very well true that I do not exist and that the presence of a thing is consequentially objective, not subjective, understanding a subjective thing as *a thing relative to a thing* and an objective thing as the negation of a subjective thing in definition, *a thing not relative to a thing*. For it could be said that -a beautiful image of narcissi- *as to a thing, for example me* is a subjective thing and -a beautiful image of narcissi- *itself, not relative to anything* is an objective thing, so it could be said that -the presence of a thing- *to a thing, in this instance necessarily me* is a subjective thing and -the presence of a thing- *itself, not relative to anything, thus not to me* is an objective thing. This idea, name it *Nonipsism*, does not exclude the idea of other "selves" and is therefore not equivalent to the *Nonipsist* idea existing within Solipsism, with *Solipsism* being the idea that a conscious thing other than me does not exist, without necessarily indicating that I exist. To say, however, that I don't exist if the presence of a thing is objective, I need to be a thing which not merely conscious of present thing but a thing conscious of a present that is present for the very reason that that thing is conscious of it, which is problematic as it insinuates some sort of causality, while it does not and for that it has be formulated differently.

Instead of using *A* is conscious of *B*, an equivalent, *B* appears to *A*, will be used as that can be simply reduced to *B* appears. Why an appearing thing, rather than the synonymous phenomenon or experience is used, is because the state of appearing can be reduced more easily from an appearing thing.

A thing which appears to me is necessarily present, while a thing which appears to a thing other than me is not necessarily present, nor necessarily absent, as the fact that a thing, the colour blue for example, appears to a thing other than me does not rule out that that thing, the colour blue, appears to me. A thing which appears to a thing other than me can be present for the sole reason that it can be a thing which appears to me, and it is therefore that we have to take the difference between a thing which appears to me and a thing which appears to a thing other than me to have two objects of which one is necessarily present and the other necessarily absent; it is the state of appearing to me which is present and the state of appearing to a thing other than me which is absent.

And as a thing other than me is the negation of me, the state of appearing to a thing which is present is equivalent to the state of appearing to me and the state of appearing to a thing which is absent is equivalent to the state of appearing to a thing other than me. To put the presence and absence of the state in which it appears simply as an adverb of "appearing"; A thing which presently appears to a thing is equivalent to a thing which appears to me and a thing which absently appears to a thing is equivalent to a thing other than me.

If we eliminate a conscious thing in a thing which appears to me and a thing which appears to a thing other than me, it leaves us in both cases merely with a thing which appears, ignoring the fact that the state of appearing of the first object is present and the state of appearing of the second object is absent, as the eliminated conscious thing expresses the presence of the state in which a thing appears. It is therefore that we use the equivalents of a thing which appears to me and a thing which appears to a thing other than me; a thing which presently appears to a thing and a thing which absently appears to a thing, as that can be reduced to a thing which presently appears and a thing which absently appears.

As a presently appearing thing exists, I am conscious of a presently appearing thing, which is equivalent to a presently appearing thing appears to me, which is equivalent to a presently appearing thing presently appears to a thing and therefore I am a thing a thing presently appears to, by which I am not merely a thing conscious of a present thing, but a thing conscious of a present thing that is present for the very reason that that thing is conscious of it, without insinuating some sort of causality. The idea that the presence of a thing is not necessarily subjective, nor objective, indicating that there are presently appearing things that are a thing presently appearing to a thing and thus are subjective as well as there are presently appearing things that are a thing presently appearing to nothing and thus are objective, can very well be named Minipsism, as I would be a thing conscious of a present thing that is present for the very reason that that thing is conscious of it, but there also would be a present thing I am not conscious of, thus a present thing is not necessarily present for the reason that I am conscious of it.